

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA  
LAFAYETTE-OPELOUSAS DIVISION**

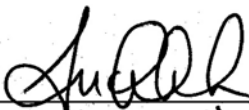
<b>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>CRIMINAL NO. 08-224</b>
<b>VS.</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>JUDGE MELANÇON</b>
<b>ANTHONY THOMAS</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>MAGISTRATE JUDGE HILL</b>

**JUDGMENT**

For the reasons orally assigned at the hearing conducted on November 17, 2009, and the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge, after an independent review of the record, and noting the absence of any objections, this Court concludes that the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge is correct and adopts the findings and conclusions therein as its own. Accordingly, it is

**ORDERED** that the guilty plea entered by Anthony Thomas on November 17, 2009, before Magistrate Judge C. Michael Hill is accepted by this Court, pursuant to the provisions of Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 11.

**THUS DONE AND SIGNED**, at Lafayette, Louisiana, on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2009.

  
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Tucker L. Melançon  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE